

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MAINE**

CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY, et  
al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

MAINE COMMISSION ON  
GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS AND  
ELECTION PRACTICES, *et al.*

Defendants.

Docket No. 1:23-cv-00450-NT

**DECLARATION REGARDING CONSENT TO MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

- ☒ The parties, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 73(b), consent to Magistrate Judge John C. Nivison conducting all proceedings, to enter final orders and judgment, and to conduct any jury or non-jury trial as required in this case.
- ☐ The parties decline to consent to Magistrate Judge John C. Nivison conducting all proceedings in this case. We ask that the case be assigned to a United States District Judge. We understand that Magistrate Judge John C. Nivison will conduct all proceedings and decide matters referred by the United States District Judge in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c).

Dated at Portland, Maine this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2025.

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 6, 2025, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send the notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

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